The Question of Good Roads Thoroughly Discussed, Permanent Organization Effected, and an Extra Session of the Legislature Asked For.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.-About 300 delegates assembled at ten o'clock vesterday morning in the Masonic building to take part in the first day's session of the Missouri Good Roads and Public Improvement convention. They were representative men, who bore the impress of high character and worth, both in manner and appearance. Every congressional district and nearly every county in the state was represented. The meeting was called to order by President W. H. Moore of the Missouri Good Roads association, after which Rev. W. B. Palmore, D. D., editor of the St. Louis Christian Advocate, made the opening prayer. Toward the close of his petition he created a mild sensation among the delegates by particularly asking that the time might soon come when there would be found no mudholes in the streets, no old stumps of bad cigars, nor old pipes, for which praise and blessings would arise forever more.



IMr. Ziegenhein is mayor of St. Louis, and favors a broad, smooth highway connecting St. Louis and Kansas City.]

Mayor Ziegenhein made an appro priate address of welcome, in which he said that both cities and counties were equally interested in good roads, as a great deal of the state's future prosperity depended on its having good roads over which to transport its prodpossibilities of Missouri in the near future to have a broad, smooth highway across the state connecting St. Louis and Kansas City.

The following committees were appointed: Credentials, resolutions, ways and means, finance, by-laws and constitution, nominations.

On motion of Congressman A. M. Dockery another committee was added to the list. This was to be chosen by the delegates present from-each congressional district. Each district was to select its member of this committee, the tusuing year: and the committee's purpose was to take under consideration the various taken until two o'clock.

The afternoon session was called to order at 2:30 p.m., and Hon. A. M. Dockery took the chair, while President W. H. Moore read the annual address.

He stated his belief that the first step should be the appointment of a state highway commission, and that the state constitution should be so changed as to allow the counties or state to build good roads. It now costs the people \$20,000,000 annually to sit in the mud, and he did not see why it would not be much less expensive to build good roads.

Secretary E. C. Rowse then read his annual report, after which followed the reading of Gov. Lon. V. Stephens' address, which was read by his proxy, as the governor was unable to attend: The address began by stating that the governor was heartily in sympathy with the movement, but that good roads could not be built on tion, and that it required a great deal of money

and a great deal of har! work. He suggested that it would be well to have a state supervisor of roads, and that the poll tax should be paid in money and not in labor. He also urged the question of a constitutional convention. A vote of thanks was tendered Gov.

Stephens, and his letter was referred to the committee on ways and means. Gen. Roy Stone, of Washington, D. C., then spoke.

He complimented the convention on the character and number of its delegates, and said that he felt certain the convention would not people imagined. Other states had blazed out the way in pioneer read building, and the con-vention could easily follow the beaten roadway without risk of paying for costly experience. He advocated strongly the idea of having a state highway commission, which, he said, was always one of the first important steps in the direction of better roalways.

Missouri house of representatives,



HON, J. W. FARRIS. (Speaker of the Missouri house of representatives, who believes in putting idle prisoners to

work upon state roads. He advocated the plan of having the convicts in the state and county jails do the work neces-sary to give good roads in Missouri. He said that in the United States there were 4,000,000 prisoners, and at least half of them were heads of families. These families, consisting on an average of a wife and three children, were nearly always dependent upon local charity for their support. So far as Missouri was concerned, he lieved putting these idle prisoners who are in the state and county jails at work upon the

Ex-Mayor C. P. Walbridge, of St.

Louis, spoke next. He related the history of the development of the desire for rapid transit into gigantic sys-tem of ratiways, which he said, instead of be-ing controlled by legislatures, more often the railroad skeleton, and instanced it by the story of a friend in Minnesota who ran for the legislature and was elected through his promise that when he got to Minne-apolis he would take the railroads by the forelock and shake them over more bonds for roads. They had already voted publication.

GOOD ROADS IN MISSOURL | the very "jaws of hell." After his term was thousands of dollars of bonds to railroads which had never been built, and their experience had do you know I did intend to do that but when I got there I found all the railroads were baldheaded and had no foretops to catch hold of. and I heard Bob Inzersoll, and found there was He was on the county equalization board no hell to shake them over; so what wa I to and knew of an instance where roads would be the very means of competing

> Congressman A. M. Dockery fol-He said he did not believe in the argument of

> Mayor Walbridge, for he feit that the peo-ple of the convention, of the state legislature, and of congress not only had the power, but that they would control the



HON. A. M. DOCKERY. [Congressman, who does not believe in using convict labor in building state roads. The reform "must not rest upon crime, but upon the

great engines of civilization—the railroads. He believed that all that was necessary for the convention was to have unity of purpose and action, and that it could not fail. The delegates must agree, and they must educate. He building the state roads. The reform they sought must not rest upon crime, but upon the enlightened sentiment of the people. Statistics showed that under the present bungling system, that of the \$1,000,000 expended annually by the state on the policy outlined by Gov. Stephens. He thought all taxes should be collected in money; hat a road commission should be appointed, and that a constitutional convention should be A note from President R. H. Jesse of

the University of Missouri was read, was unable to be present to make his

On a vote, it was decided not to hold a night session.

SECOND DAY.

Permanent Officers Named, and the Governor Requested to Call an Extra Sesslon of the Legislature.

St. Louis. Nov. 24.-The session of the good roads convention vesterday ran nets. He thought it was among the as smoothly as if it had been placed on rubber tires, and was going over a roadway as perfect as an enthusiast's dream of the future. The principal business of the day was the formation of a permanent organization and the selection of permanent officers to take charge of it. In this selection the services of W. H. Moore received recognition by his selection as president.

The first business of the day was the report of the nominating committee, which was handed in, giving the name: of the following permanent officers for

President -W H Moore St Louis Secretary-T. P. Rixey, St. Louis. Treasurer Thomas H. West, St. Louis. The following list of 15 vice-presi-

congressional districts in the state: First-D. H. Shields, Hannibal, Second-W. A. Whit; Moberly, Third-H.C. Duncan, Osborn, Fourth-R. M. Abergrambie, St. Joseph. Fifth-John B. Stone, Kansas City. Sixth Hon, J. N. Ballard, Montrose, Henry

dents was selected from the different

Seventh-T. O. Stanley, Sedalia. Eighth-Henry T. Wright, Lebanon. Ninth-N. D. Dierkes, St. Charles. Tenth - J. R. Brewster, St. Louis county. Eleventh-Henry Lucas, St. Louis. Tweifth-H. R. Whitmore, St. Louis,

Thirteenth - Henry Seckman, Jefferson cour Fourteenth—Joseph J. Russell, Charleston, Fifteenth—W. T. Le Compt, Pierce City.



[Governor of Missouri, who favors good roads but declares they can not be built on theories

A resolution from the ways and an extra session of the legislature to

consider good roads was adopted. Two resolutions, one recommending Missourians to do their part in aiding to the general assembly an increase of the appropriation for state charities, Omaha, next year. and the other asking for the submisamendment to be submitted to the people in order that the county courts might be permitted to increase the lution was passed making members of taxes for road purposes, were both

lution providing for the appointment of a committee on city streets, with power to recommend legislation concerning the sprinkling, and improvement of city streets. This was adopted, and the following committee was announced later in the day: Hon. C. P. Walbridge, St. Louis: Albert Young, Kansas City; R. M. Abercrombie, St. The Verdict Made Up and Forwarded to Joseph; Judge Noah M. Gibbon, Cass county; Dr. D. H. Shields, Marion, and A. B. Lovan. The convention then ad-

Col. John B. Stone, of Kansas City. afternoon session. His measure prowere least able to stand the burden.

bridge, why he hadn't been heard of as fighting the railroads, and he had said: "Well, Jimmy, would hate to be the man that would propose

Mayor Waibridge believed that good a railroad corporation, which owned would be the very means of competing over \$16,000,000 of property, and had a net annual income of \$747,000, paid taxes on an assessment of \$350,000, or less than one-half of its net annual income. He said that is cost \$7,000 a mile to build roads with convic labor, while the same roals could be built by contract for \$3,200 per mile. He did not believe there would be any need of borrowing money to build roads, or of using convict labor, if the

revenue laws were properly amended. Referred to the resolution committee. Prof H. J. Waters, dean and director of the agricultural department of the Univerity of Missouri, gave an instructive talk on experiments made with

broad-tired wagons. He said that a professor of Yale college had declared that the broad-tirel wagon was not worth consid raiion, but the tests made by the University of Missouri did not confirm that opinion. He said that, while there were cer-tain conditions under which the narrow-tired wagon had been found preferable, in the majority of instances the difference was about a quarter, or 25 per cent, in favor of the broad

He went into details in an interesting way. and illustrated the results of his experiments with a diagram or chart.

Ex-Gov. D. R. Francis was next called-upon, and during his address said that, while mayor of St. Louis, he had used convict labor on the streets, and had never heard of any objection being urged to their being thus em-

He did not advocate the competition of convict labor with free labor, but thought there was plenty of work to do in road building in Missouri to employ both convict and free labor. And, while he believed free labor should be protected, the importance of the work justified profit and loss in many instances to the farmer. and the effect of good roads would be a direct monetary benefit to the farmers of the state as well as to the entire people. Charles Dunnermann read a paper on

the \$1,000,000 expended annually by the sact to its roads, that \$632,000 of that amount went into the pockets of road overseers. He believed in the need of taking off the limit now set by law on taxation, and favored the issuance of street improvement bonds on the five and ten-year plan, by which interest is secured at a low rate.

Col. W. F. Switzler, of Boone county, offered a resolution asking the newsregretting that, owing to siekness, he papers of the state to open subscription departments in their offices where money could be paid in for helping along the good-roads movement. The resolution was referred.

Lee Meriwether, of St. Louis, made an address, in which he urged the point that if the present revenue laws were carried out there would be no necessity for holding a constitutional



[Ex-governor of Missouri, ex-secretary of the interior, and ex-mayor of St. Louis, who believes in utilizing convict labor in making good

taxation. He said that statistics showed that farms were taxed on an assessment of from 35 to 75 per cent, of their value, while corporations were taxed on only about 10 per cent.

A resolution making the president. treasurer and secretary an executive committee to fix the time and place for the next convention was adopted.

The following sub-committee of the ways and means committee was selected to draft measures to be presented to the Fortieth general assembly for its consideration: Dr. D. H. Shields. Hannibal, president; Lee Meriwether, St. Louis, secretary; W. C. Alldredge, Maniton; W. R. Goodykoontz, Washington county, and H. G. Buckingham' of St. Joseph.

This subcommittee mill meet in St. Louis January 1s, 1898, and the full ways and means committee will meet in this city on March 15.

Gen. Roy Stone made an address, in which he said he hoped Missouri would not altogether abandon the idea of conviet labor on roads, as it had been found quite satisfactory in other states to have them prepare the material at the quarry, while the road-beds were prepared and the rock laid by free laber.

The finance committee reported a resolution asking each citizen present to subscribe \$1, in order to become a member, and to pay the expenses of the convention. This was adopted, and there was a liberal response by those present, who paid the money to

the secretary. A resolution of thanks to those who had done so much pioneer work for Mr. W. Richardson, of Omaha, made

an address, in which he appealed to the Transmississippi exposition at The seventh annual meeting of the sion of the question of a constitutional | Missouri Roads association was announced as being set for December 9 and 10, at Lexington, Mo., and a reso-

> the convention members of the association. Col. Stone urged Kansas City as the place for the next annual meeting, but St. Louis was selected by an overwhelming vote. The convention thea adjourned, to meet at the call of the executive committee.

THE LOVERING COURT-MARTIAL

the Secretary of War. CHICAGO, Nov. 26.-The verdict in the Lovering court-martial was forwarded to the secretary of war. The court held a short secret session yesterday at which the verdict was made and dispatched to Washington. It is the general opinion that Capt. Lovering will meet with nothing wore than

reprimand. The finding is always a secret one. Brooke it will be sent to Washington, where it is discretionary with the military authorities to give it out for

Become Prominent Citizens.

Sketch of Her Life and What Some of Her Children Accomplished.

From the News, Indianapolis, Ind. Hundreds of thousands of men of foreign birth have taken out papers declaring their citizenship in Indiana since that State was admitted into the Union in 1816 without creating remark or comment. It was a dif-ferent matter, however, when along in the forties the first woman of foreign birth ap plied for and received papers of citizenship after declaring in set form that she re-nounced all allegiance to every prince or

potentate on earth.
This "first woman citizen" was an Irish widow who settled in southern Indiana with her progeny of sturdy lads and clever lasses upon a farm which she had bought. She had taken out naturalization papers in order to manage her property to better advantage

behind her those who grew to be worthy men and worthy women, and who have left

their impress upon the State.

One of these sons James B. Ryan became treasurer of the State of Indiana, and a sonin-law, M. L. Brett, also held that high and honorable position. Another son was the late Lieut, Col. Richard J. Ryan who was probably the most brilliant and gifted orator that Indiana ever produced, and who during the war for the Union served his country in the Thirty-fifth Indiana Volunteer Infantry, better known as "the Irish Regiment."

absence has been a resident of Indianapolis for forty-two years. Mr. Ryan has been an active business man all his life and has seen

Panama to California, and he has always retained the free-hearted, open and trusting confidence that distinguished the gallant pioneers of the golden State. He has been all over the far west engaged in mining and trade operations in Oregon, Arizona and Montana. From May, 1885 until August, 1887 he was the government agent at the Scal Islands off the Alaska coast, a highly postorsible position.

in conversation with a group of gentlemen at the Indianapolis Board of Trade, "I have been extremely sensitive in my lower limbs, to weather changes. It my legs had been filled with quick silver I do not think they could have responded more quickly or more disagreeably to climatic conditions.

During the past two years this infirmity

became much worse, and I began to be alarmed, fearing paralysis. My legs were cold and recently from my knees down were without sensation. I could walk only short distances and would even then experience great weariness. I became more and more alarmed. I naturally thought of paralysis or locomotor ataxia. The prospect was not

or locomotor ataxia. The prospect was not a pleasing one.

"I happened to meet my old friend Capt.
C. F. Shepard, of this city. He was chanting the praises of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale "cople and gave me his experiegace, telling—that he had been brought by using them from a bed where he lay helpless, his physician having declared him a hopeless victim of locomotor ataxia, and was now as active as any man of his age, not now as active as any man of his age, not even requiring the use of a cane. Upon his

doses. The numbness in my limbs disappeared as if by magic and I can walk as far as I like at a good rapid gait and without as I like at a good rapid gait and without weariness. This you may understand is a great boon to a man who has been of an active habit of life and who still likes to depend to a great extent upon his legs to get around in the world. of my hip for I have not been bothered with it since I began their use. I think I shall have to join Captain Shepard in his praises of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale

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Spanish combs are worn and a new style is bow shape for the nape of the neck and for side combs.

about and chiffon ruffs edged with ostrich are worn. Persian lamb jackets are made tightfitting, with capes of fur edged with

colored ribbon applied as silk would be in a dress bodice. Blouses of cloth are more fashionable than those of silks. These cloth

waists are often made tight, and the devotees of the comfortable blouse are sighing at the edict. A dark serge coat and skirt, the coat opening over a vest of tucked white

the large picture hats they droop and Colored ribbons are seen on the new

trasting with the fur.

For diarrhea, white oak bark tea. For a cough, lemon juice and sugar. Keeping the head cool and the feet warm.

the other eye.

breakfast has been eaten. Keeping the back, between the shoulder blades, well covered in winter. For cold on the chest, rubbing in ramphor gum dissolved in olive oil .-

Did you ever know a lodging house landlady who would own to bugs? Did you ever know a dancing master's daughter who was not to excel Taglioni?

than you could? "done a long time ago." or that it was "cracked before?"-Burton's Cyclopedip of Wit and Humor.

Had Lost His Faith in Them.

A theatrical manager told a story against imself the other day. An actor came to him and applied for an engagement. There did not seem to be much need of him, but his demands in the way of salary were very modest, and the manager said to him:

"Well, you may consider yourself engaged.

I fancy I can find something for you to do.

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"How about a contract?" he asked.

"Oh, never mind a contract. We'll have a verbal contract."

There was a look of mild reproach in the There was a look of mild reproach in the eyes of the man, as he answered, sorrowfully:
"Sir, the last time I made a verbal contract I drew a verbal salary."—Spare Mo-

Boundless Egotism.

"You ought to give up trying to sing. Don't your neighbors smash your windows when you sing of an evening?" said Gilhooly "They don't do that because my singing is bad; on the contrary, they smash my windows so they can hear better."—Tammany

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can go about my work with pleasure, while before, work was a drudge. "Trusting that my words of praise may help some other afflicted person. and be of benefit to womankind in general, I remain, Yours in gratitude, L. H., 444 S. East St., Indianapolis, Ind."

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that there was to be a meteoric display at this time.
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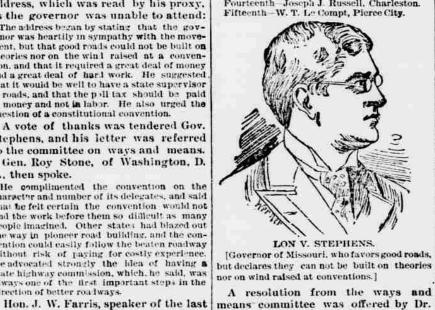
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adopted. Ex-Mayor Walbridge offered a reso-

journed until 2 p. m.

introduced the first resolution offered after the convention convened for the posed that the legislature should be asked to revise the present revenue laws, which, he said, were manifestly being forwarded to the commanding controlled the legislature. He spoke of the laws, which, he said, were maniesting being forwarded to the commanding politicians' hobby of shaking the dry bones of unjust in their operation to those who officer of the department. From Gen. So far as the question of imposing more taxes



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